

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A method of administering learning objects within a learning management system, comprising the steps of:

establishing within a computing system a learning folder for a particular learner in the learning management system (LMS) which is separate from an existing ~~ecourse-catalog selection~~ of learning objects, the learning folder comprising a configuration to aggregate access to existing learning objects from ~~a the~~ ~~separate existing selection of learning objects~~ ~~ecourse-catalog~~;

adding within the computing system one or more of the learning objects to the learning folder; and,

initially limiting access to the learning folder within the computing system to the particular learner.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:

establishing a learning link for the learning folder, which provides access to the learning folder for one or more additional learners.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:

modifying the learning folder by adding one or more additional learning objects to the learning folder.

4. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:
modifying the learning folder by removing one or more learning objects from the learning folder.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:
modifying the learning link by adding access for one or more learners.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:
modifying the learning link by removing access for one or more learners.

7. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:
removing a learning folder from the learning management system.

8. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising the steps of:
removing a learning link from the learning management system.

9. (Currently Amended) A machine readable storage having stored thereon a computer program for administering learning objects within a learning management system, the computer program comprising a routine set of instructions which when executed by the machine cause the machine to perform the steps of:
establishing within a computing system a learning folder for a particular learner in the learning management system (LMS) which is separate from an existing course catalog selection

of learning objects, the learning folder comprising a configuration to aggregate access to existing learning objects from a the separate existing selection of learning objects course catalog;

adding within the computing system one or more of the learning objects to the learning folder; and,

initially limiting access to the learning folder within the computing system to the particular learner.

10. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

establishing a learning link for the learning folder, which provides access to the learning folder for one or more additional learners.

11. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

modifying the learning folder by adding one or more additional learning objects to the learning folder.

12. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

modifying the learning folder by removing one or more learning objects from the learning folder.

13. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

modifying the learning link by adding access for one or more learners.

14. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

modifying the learning link by removing access for one or more learners.

15. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

removing a learning folder from the learning management system.

16. (Original) The machine readable storage of claim 9, further causing said machine to perform the steps of:

removing a learning link from the learning management system.

17. (Currently Amended) A learning management system (LMS) comprising:
a plurality of learning objects amongst an existing selection of learning objects disposed within a catalog in a computing system;

a plurality of learners configured to access the learning objects within the computing system; and,

a learning folder management user interface within the computing system through which particular ones of the learners can establish learning folders, each of the learning folders

aggregating selected ones of the learning objects separate and apart from the an-existing ecourse catalog selection of learning objects disposed within the computing system.

18. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein the learning management user interface comprises a configuration for limiting access to each one of the established learning folders to the particular one of the learners who created the learning folder.

19. (Original) The learning management system of claim 18, wherein the learning management user interface further comprises a configuration for permitting access to selected ones of the established learning folders for others of the learners by way of corresponding learning links.